

## EARMARK DECLARATION

**HON. DOUG LAMBORN**

OF COLORADO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, September 24, 2008*

Mr. LAMBORN. Madam Speaker, Pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information for publication in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD regarding earmarks I received as part of S. 3001, the FY09 Duncan Hunter National Defense Authorization Act:

Requesting Member: Congressman DOUG LAMBORN, CO-05.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: 3600F RDT&E, Air Force, Line 13, PE 0602601F.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Aeroflex.

Address of Requesting Entity: 4350 Centennial Blvd. Colorado Blvd, Colorado Springs, CO 80907.

Description of Request: \$2 million is included in this bill for Radiation Hardened Non-Volatile Memory. This request is intended to aid in the development of radiation hardened non-volatile memory technology to be used in a variety of applications, principally satellites.

Requesting Member: Congressman DOUG LAMBORN, CO-05.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: RDTE, AF.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Goodrich Corporation.

Address of Requesting Entity: 1275 North Newport Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80916.

Description of Request: \$6 million is included in this bill to fund ACES 5 ejection-seat development and testing for the Air Force-variant F-35 to enable insertion into F-35 LRIP to leverage the most capable and safest ejection seat ever developed and ensure that the U.S. preserves the domestic capability to produce vital life saving ejection seat systems for the Air Force.

Requesting Member: Congressman DOUG LAMBORN, CO-05.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: RDT&E.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Analytical Graphics, Inc.

Address of Requesting Entity: 7150 Campus Drive, Suite 260, Colorado Springs, CO.

Description of Request: \$1 million is included in this bill to incorporate space object data, improve navigation accuracy prediction, including jamming and weapons modeling, and integrate electronic warfare (EW) analysis into a common operational environment for Army support teams. The user friendly interface will couple real time data integration with currently deployed and supported data feeds, including imagery, terrain, GPS status, electronic warfare environment, and terrestrial weather.

Requesting Member: Congressman DOUG LAMBORN, CO-05.

Bill Number: H.R. 5658.

Account: Research, Development, Test & Evaluation, Air Force.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Finmeccanica of North America.

Address of Requesting Entity: 1625 Eye Street NW, Floor 12, Washington, DC 20006.

Description of Request: \$1 million is included in this budget to demonstrate and qualify in a cold climate an innovative, energy effi-

cient, alternative power technology, on an energy intensive Air Force installation. Utilizing tactical or readily available fuels, this first phase of qualifying will place a next generation power generator in a military environment while showcasing all the benefits, monetary, environmental, and technical this technology can provide within various scenarios, such as "Silent Camp" or "Islanding".

## EARMARK DECLARATION

**HON. PETE SESSIONS**

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, September 24, 2008*

Mr. SESSIONS. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information for publication in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD regarding earmarks I received as part of the Consolidated Security, Disaster Assistance, and Continuing Appropriations Act, 2009.

Requesting Member: Congressman PETE SESSIONS.

Bill Number: H.R. 2638.

Account: Defense, Navy, RDT&E; Manned Reconnaissance Systems.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: L-3—Geneva Aerospace.

Address of Requesting Entity: 4240 International Parkway Carrollton, Texas 75007.

Description of Request: I received an earmark of \$2,400,000 for the Unmanned Force Augmentation System, UFAS, project which supports research, development and testing of advanced Unmanned Aerial Systems, UAS, technologies. Specifically, \$1,600,000 is for engineering; \$400,000 is for materials procurement; and \$400,000 is for field testing. The program is intended to facilitate the rapid transition of Unmanned Aerial Vehicle, UAV, systems to the warfighters that offer order-of-magnitude improvements in usability, capability, and, hence, operational effectiveness.

Requesting Member: Congressman PETE SESSIONS.

Bill Number: H.R. 2638.

Account: Defense, Army, RDT&E; Advanced Weapons Technology.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Jim G. Ferguson, Inc.

Address of Requesting Entity: 4727 Cherokee Trail Dallas, Texas 75205.

Description of Request: I received an earmark of \$1,600,000 to design, develop, and construct a cross-scale airship serving as a platform / test-bed for airborne and space sensor technology development, demonstration and testing. Specifically, \$416,000 is for management, \$832,000 is for technical and engineering, \$96,000 is for administration, \$96,000 is for patent maintenance and development, \$80,000 is for legal, and \$80,000 is for travel. The airship will also provide a low cost solution to the military need to rapidly and economically transport very large, very heavy and outsized cargos strategic distances in support of global military surge, support and logistical operations.

Requesting Member: Congressman PETE SESSIONS.

Bill Number: H.R. 2638.

Account: Defense, Army, O&M; Central Supply Activities.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: PulseTech Products Corporation.

Address of Requesting Entity: 1100 South Kimball Ave. Southlake, Texas 76092.

Description of Request: I received an earmark of \$800,000 to provide battery maintenance management systems that incorporate pulse technology to increase equipment readiness, reduce hazardous material/environmental waste and reduce operating costs. Among these systems are rolling chargers for motor pool operations, pallet chargers for use in battery shops throughout the Army, and solar chargers for on-vehicle applications when vehicles are stored for extended periods of time. PulseTech will continue, at no cost to the government, to offer battery management training.

Requesting Member: Congressman PETE SESSIONS.

Bill Number: H.R. 2638.

Account: Defense, Army, RDT&E; Medical Technology.

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: National Neurovision Research Institute.

Address of Requesting Entity: 11435 Cronhill Drive, Owings Mills, MD 21117-2220.

Description of Request: I received an earmark of \$800,000 funding to continue its expansion and operation of the "National Eye Evaluation and Research Network", NEER Network. This Network was established to enhance and accelerate military and civilian patients' accessibility to specialized centers for evaluation of serious eye diseases affecting the retina and facilitate their rapid referral for treatment and possible participation in research studies and clinical trials. The budget breakdown shows that \$104,853 will be spent on the National Neurovision Research Institute's budget which will include materials and supplies, travel and salaries. Another \$648,766 will be spent on the Clinical Trial and Evaluation Units which will be used to study the inherited orphan retinal degenerations of the eye. The remaining \$46,381 will be used for contracts and medical review boards.

A TRIBUTE TO RAMONA RIPSTON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE ACLU OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, ON THE OCCASION OF THE DEDICATION OF ITS NEW HEADQUARTERS NAMED IN HER HONOR

**HON. LUCILLE ROYBAL-ALLARD**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, September 24, 2008*

Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the American Civil Liberties Union of Southern California and its executive director, Ramona Ripston, on the occasion of the dedication of the organization's new headquarters building in Los Angeles. Located in my congressional district at 1313 West 8th Street, the new facility is aptly being named the Ramona Ripston Center for Civil Liberties and Civil Rights in honor of this remarkable woman who has graced the organization's helm for 36 years.

As the festivities get underway to commemorate the ACLU of Southern California's proud 85 years of hard work enforcing the